

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

JASON WILLIAM SANDBERG,

Plaintiff,

v.

SUPERINTENDENT RON VAN  
BOENING, *et al.*,

Defendants.

CASE NO. C09-5347RJB/JRC

ORDER DENYING MOTION FOR  
RECONSIDERATION

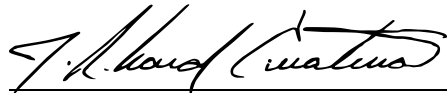
This 42 U.S.C. §1983 civil rights matter has been referred to the undersigned Magistrate Judge pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 636(b)(1)(A) and (B) and Local Magistrate Judge Rules MJR 1, MJR 3, and MJR 4. Before the court is plaintiff's motion for reconsideration of an order denying appointment of counsel (ECF No. 101). This is the fifth time plaintiff has asked the court to appoint counsel in this case (ECF No. 7, 19, 29, and 94).

Local Rule 7(h) sets forth the standard. "Motions for reconsideration are disfavored. The court will ordinarily deny such motions in the absence of a showing of manifest error in the prior ruling or a showing of new facts or legal authority which could not have been brought to its

1 attention earlier with reasonable diligence.” Plaintiff does not meet this standard and does not  
2 show a likelihood of success on the merits that warrants appointment of counsel. The motion is

3 **DENIED.**

4 DATED this 25<sup>th</sup> day of May 2011.

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